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VULCAN NEWS ITEMS

Deal with the firms that advertise in these pages. We've told why.

Johnny Leech returned to Vulcan from the Cluny district where he has been working since last August.

Mr. Roy Walker went to Calgary on Monday where he will have an operation performed on his throat.

On Monday evening, December 22, the Sunday School of the church will give a concert and hold a Christmas festival. Remember the date. Come and bring the children.

Miss Elizabeth McCliment, who has been in the hospital at Calgary for the past four weeks returned to Vulcan last Saturday. She will resume her work at the Bank of Hamilton on January 1.

Mrs. Wm. Arnold left Vulcan last Monday for her old home near Portland, Oregon. She expects to be gone several weeks visiting relatives and also intends visiting the Vulcan girls, Misses Thomas, Bickford, and Mrs. Morton, while in Portland.

A Pie Social will be held at the Berrywater School, New Year's Eve, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the U.F.A.

Miss E. E. Martin, teacher of grades two and three in the local school, has accepted a position on the staff of the Victoria School, Calgary.

Mr. Frank Kelly, a former resident arrived from North Dakota on Monday and will be a business visitor here for a few days.

Read the advertisements of your dealer. Show him you appreciate his co-operation. Tell him so!

There will be a Christmas program presented at the Richmond Hill School the evening of December 23rd, commencing at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

The Rev. A. E. Hayes, B.A., was inducted as minister of the Church of Vulcan on Tuesday evening, December 9. The Rev. Dr. Ferguson addressed the minister and the Rev. Mr. McNichol addressed the people. Though the night was very cold the church was well filled. Mr. Hayes occupied the pulpit last Sunday and will preach at both services this Sunday.

Xmas Toys

Kiddie Cars, Kiddie Ponies, Dolls, Doll Buggies, Xmas Decorations, Santa Masks, Xmas Candles, Sleds, Jiggers, Story Books, Girls Work Sets, Toy Pianos, Drums, Whistles, Gilbert's Puzzles, Erector Sets, Wheelbarrows, Wagons, Kindergarten Sets, Gun-Swords, Elephants, Dogs, Cats, Trains, Mechanical Toys, Banks, Telephones, Dishes, Ten Pins, Games, Pile Drivers, Sandy Andys, Doll Beds, Plaques, Stereoscopes, Blocks, Clowns, Rattles, Chimes, Animate Toys, Wash Sets, Rubber Dolls, Rubber Balls, Water Pistol, Sad Irons and many other articles at Shimp's Toy Store.

NOTICE

The Annual meeting of Berrywater School District 1908 will be held in the Berrywater School on Wednesday, January 7th, 1920, at 2 p.m.

Special Business:
Discussion on finding a boarding place for a teacher.

P. J. HASLAM,
Sec.-Treasurer.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the Estate of ROBERT LOVE, late of Vulcan, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said Robert Love, who died on the 25th of October, 1919, are required to file with the undersigned by the 29th of February, 1920, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the executors of his will will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have come to their knowledge.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1919
HERBERT J. MABER,
Vulcan, Alberta.
Solicitor for the Executors.

Mrs. Ross Clark and two children arrived here from Iowa on Thursday last and are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrester. They will remain here until some time in February.

Don't forget to tell your dealer you read his Advt.

James Graham left last Tuesday for Lake City, Iowa, where he will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Mrs. C. H. Campbell left town on Monday night for Fairfield, Idaho, where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Mr. O. L. McPherson, president of the U.F.A. political association and the Vulcan Co-Operative Company was a Vulcan visitor over the week-end.

Mr. Guy W. Johnson, secretary of the U.F.A. was a business visitor to Vulcan over the week-end.

Shop now. Christmas only 6 days away. Read the Ads.

LADIES' CURLING CLUB

Friday evening, December 12, a very enthusiastic meeting of the ladies of Vulcan was held in the offices of Flood, Whicher & Elves for the purpose of forming a Ladies' Curling Club. Mr. Whicher was elected chairman of the meeting.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. C. Hall, president; Mrs. T. Lebow, Vice-president; Miss L. G. Fair, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. D. C. Jones, Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Denbigh, executive.

Twelve skips were appointed and they chose their rinks as follows: Mrs. R. E. Dodds, skip; Miss Leverington, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. W. Grant, skip; Mrs. Charters, Mrs. Rolston, Mrs. Simington, Mrs. W. A. Howes, skip; Mrs. Carson, Mrs. Buck, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. D. C. Jones, skip; Mrs. Marcellus, Mrs. F. Elves, Mrs. Vansilver, Mrs. Roy Ferguson, skip; Miss Davis, Miss B. Porter, Mrs. C. Hall, skip; Mrs. Collier, Mrs. Dickinson, Miss Carruthers, Mrs. Whicher, skip; Miss Reynolds, Miss Wylie, Miss Caisey, Mrs. D. Allen, skip; Miss Clappison, Miss Laurence, Mrs. Loiselle, Mrs. Torgerson, skip; Miss Yeo, Miss Journey, Mrs. King, Mrs. Denbigh, skip; Mrs. Stack, Miss R. Porter, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Lebow, skip; Miss Fair, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Cunningham.

The preliminary games will be played this week between the president's and vice-president's teams and the beginning of next week a schedule which will be drawn up meantime, will be followed.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING

Quite a large number of ladies met at the home of Mrs. "Dickenson" on Wednesday afternoon last for the purpose of re-organizing the local Women's Institute. Mrs. G. B. McKay, convenor for this district, called the meeting to order and after a few preliminary remarks introduced the speaker for the afternoon, Mrs. Ainsworth, educational representative of Alberta. For an hour she very carefully outlined the origin and the growth of the Women's Institute and pointed out the many opportunities it afforded members to get into closer contact with each other and the important issues of life. The address was most helpful and was thoroughly enjoyed by all the ladies present.

Following the address, Mrs. McKay proceeded with the business. Mrs. Howes' motion, seconded by Mrs. Marshall, that the Institute be re-organized and officers elected, carried. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Marshall, president, pro tem; Mrs. J. A. Lindsay, 1st vice-president; Mrs. F. Elves, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. W. A. Howes, secretary-treasurer. The directors are Mesdames Whicher, Carson, Flood, Jenniejohn, Dickenson. Auditors: Miss Wylie and Mrs. R. Elves.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Whicher on Friday, January 2, 1920, at 3 p.m.

BUFFALO HILL HINTS

The weather still continues severe, the thermometer at times dropping as low as 45 degrees below, which is "some" cold.

WHO SAID APATHY?

No Slackness or Lack of Vim to be Found Among the Local Curlers.

LOSER MUST BE GAME

Man Who Loses Becomes the Target of Merciless Joshers

Chewing gum deliberately plastered on the bottom of curling rocks with malice aforethought! Now, what do you think of that? We spoke of driving spikes into the rocks but only because we considered it a physical impossibility. And now we are blamed for prompting some evil genius to a commission of the most heinous kind of a crime against the fair name of clean sport. But we plead "not guilty" to the charge, for where is there any connection between spikes and chewing gum? But when all is said and done, the outstanding feature of the whole business is that Whicher defeated Charters last Wednesday evening, and whether or not there is any stretch to the chewing gum rumor or not is of small importance. No skip on the club can now swell out his chest and proudly peacock down the slippery sidewalks endangering life and limb in an effort to impress his fellow townsmen with his invincibility as far as curling is concerned. But we never thought that a man would credit his fall to chewing gum. Most generally it is a banana peel.

Following is a condensed report of last week's results and a continuation of the schedule:

Monday, Grant defeated Wolfe by a score of 12 to 6. Torgerson victimized Jones by 10 to 8.

Tuesday, Anderson nosed out Lebow 10 to 9 and Reeves retired Spooner by a score of 9 to 8.

Wednesday, Whicher put Charters among the common people with a score of 10 to 4, and Hall biffed Torgerson with the tidy sum of 16 to 3.

Thursday, This must have been an awful week for Torgerson, for again he got it in the neck when Flood noded him out 10 to 9. Wolfe perked up and took one from Jones by 11 to 4.

Friday, Anderson floored Reeves 12 to 6 and—this is awful, but we've got to say it, Lebow skinned, swamped, annihilated Hall with a score of 23 to 3. Talk about your "skidoo" tags, ask Mr. Hall where to get them. And the best of it is that Torgerson is sort of inclined to blush because Hall had so recently defeated him.

Saturday, Charters again struck the winning stride to the chagrin of Wolfe who went out 11 to 8, and Whicher added another victim to his string by routing Grant's forces 12 to 8.

Next Week's Schedule

Thursday.—Hall vs. Flood
Grant vs. Jones
Friday.—Reeves vs. Torgerson
Reeve vs. Torgerson
Anderson vs. Jones
Saturday.—Whicher vs. Lebow
Spooner vs. Charters
Monday.—Hall vs. Wolfe
Spooner vs. Whicher
Tuesday.—Flood vs. Grant
Anderson vs. Charters
No games on Christmas Eve or Christmas night.

Mr. P. M. Marshall shipped a carload of prime steers to Calgary this week.

Mr. Wm. Hill, Jr. spent a few days of the past week in Calgary.

A "hen" meeting was called at the Buffalo School on Friday last to organize the coming Buffalo School entertainment.

The district sheep ranchers have suffered some losses from coyotes lately.

The Eastway neighborhood will soon begin to look upon sugar as an unnecessary luxury.

A dance given on Friday last at Loma School in celebration of Miss Chloe Hamilton's birthday, was attended by a good crowd and a very pleasant "shindig" took place.

The motor fan has many difficulties and disappointments, but the greatest of these is a "busted" radiator.

CLUB NEWS

Constitution as Adopted by the New Community Club at the Last Meeting.

The new Vulcan Community Club held a meeting in Flood, Whicher and Elves offices last Thursday afternoon at which the constitution drawn by the executive was submitted to the members for approval. After a short discussion that led to the incorporation of a few clauses and words deemed necessary, the constitution was adopted after which the officers previously elected pro tem were permanently installed to hold office for one year. This, with the exception of two of the seven directors who could not be retained as the constitution called for only five and this number was considered a large enough board at present. The constitution follows:

ARTICLE 1

Name

This organization shall be known as "The Vulcan Community Club."

ARTICLE 2

Objects

To promote social intercourse, a higher standard of community life, the study of economic and social questions bearing on our interest as citizens, and the furthering of the interests of the town and district in every possible way.

ARTICLE 3

Membership

All those who believe in the objects of this organization and who reside in the Vulcan district shall be eligible for membership.

ARTICLE 4

Fees

The annual fee shall be \$2.00 per year, payable in advance. All membership fees shall expire on the 31st day of December of each year.

ARTICLE 5

Officers

1. All members of the club, in good standing, shall be eligible to hold office.
2. The officers of the club shall consist of the following:
President
Vice-President
Secretary-Treasurer
Five Directors
3. The officers shall be elected for a term of one year, said term to expire on 31st of December.
4. The annual election of officers shall be by nomination and ballot, and no person shall be declared elected until he has received a majority of the votes cast.

ARTICLE 6

Duties of Officers

1. The President shall preside at all meetings; appoint standing and special committees, and shall discharge all other duties usually pertaining to such office.
2. The Vice-President shall discharge the duties of the President in the absence of the President.
3. The Secretary-Treasurer shall attend all meetings and generally shall perform all the duties pertaining to the office of the Secretary-Treasurer.
4. The Directors shall transact all business of the club and three members thereof shall form a quorum.

ARTICLE 7

The Constitution

The Constitution of this club may be amended from time to time, notice of amendment to be mailed to each member, said notice to give date of meeting and the wording of the proposed amendment to be voted upon.

SPECIAL U. F. A. MEETING

A special meeting of the U.F.A. will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall on Saturday, December 20, at which the annual reports will be made and the annual election of officers will take place. The delegates to the provincial convention to be held in Calgary on January 17 to 21. Make a special effort to be present at this meeting.

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Vulcan Advocate

A. R. CANOE, Managing Editor

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All copy for advertisements must be in this office at not later than 6 p.m. on Monday if they are to appear in the issue of that week.

General Commercial Printing

WHY?

In the issue of December 3 we printed an account concerning a certain man, C. M. Haddfield, by name, who openly claims and backs up his claims with substantial guarantees that he can produce rain in sufficient quantities to satisfy the inhabitants of territory dominated by climatic conditions such as ours, and we attached thereto a dotted line for the signature of all those who desired an investigation of this man's claims. We did this because it is self evident that we must have a good crop next year, and the Advocate is willing to go through with any measures that will insure the realization of this necessity.

So far we have received a few replies to that article, but they are so few we have not considered it worth while to undertake an investigation. And now we would like to know why so little interest was expressed in a subject that might prove of vital importance to the district and for that matter to the entire world.

Is the bald statement that a man can produce rain too much for your credulity? Fifty years ago Jules Verne wrote his famous book entitled "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea," which was a masterly presentation of the modern submarine, and the public called him "cracked!" Yet the submarine materialized and was one of the gravest issues of the late war.

Fifty years ago an old Irish woman won a questionable fame by her prediction of the "horseless carriage," and the world laughed at her.

Fifty years ago had anyone predicted crossing the Atlantic by the air route he would have been bundled off to the "bug-house."

Fifty years ago had anyone suggested a trans-Atlantic conversation by wireless telegraphy, the people of the world, without exception, would have climbed on their hind legs and hollered "bosh," providing they had such a word in their vocabulary at that time.

But why go on? The late-war has developed miracles through the co-operation of the world's geniuses that would astound the layman into spasms of incredulity. Absolutely nothing is impossible today! Fifty years hence, the human mind will have developed to such an extent that a large decrease will be recorded in the mails because "mental telepathy" will no longer be a theory. The doubter today will be the has-been tomorrow. So much for credulity.

Are you so deeply sunk in the apathy of discouragement that you don't give "a hang" what happens? That is the attitude of a quitter and you are not quitters. You're down, maybe, but you're not out. Spit on your hands, roll up your sleeves, and with the light of battle in your eyes, pitch in once more. We've seen mere boys on the battlefield, tears of intense pain streaming from their eyes as a doctor sawed off an arm or a leg force a smile as they asked him to stop a minute while they caught their breath. It was a terrible smile, contorted and ghastly, but—it was a smile! Should you show less courage?

Are you banking on a good next year, anyhow? Do you think you will get a crop now because you have suffered two failures already? You may. Present indications all point that way. But they pointed that way last year, too! The sure winner is the one who leaves little to chance. Why trust to luck when you can pocket your due and throw pepper in the eyes of chance? Luck is a poor master in any line of enterprise. The business that trusts to luck invariably goes broke. The farmer is the most essential of the world's business men. His business comes first and is the most important. Why should it continue to be dominated by chance if some one can eliminate the uncertainty?

And surely such a one is worth a trial, especially if the trial costs you absolutely nothing if it proves a failure. On the other hand, if the thing succeeds, if this man actually produces rain it will not cost anyone more than thirty dollars. What is that insignificant sum compared to a good crop? Buck up. Try anything once. Columbus took a chance. Life itself is a gamble, but it is so arranged

ed that we can generally make it a success. Let us hear from you on the subject. If you want more information attend the next meeting of the U.F.A. Figuratively speaking, you may have a bloody nose and two black eyes but that's not affecting the corners of your mouth. Pull them up and grin!

CHRISTMAS

One week from today the entire world again celebrates its greatest festival day in commemoration of the birth of our Lord; and The Advocate takes occasion to wish its many subscribers, advertisers and friends a Merry Day. It is a day so generally observed and recognized by the people that no extraneous worldly considerations are allowed to deter from its import, and no matter how severe and cold the weather may be in our immediate vicinity, it will not depart us from the warmth of our good wishes to our fellow men on this occasion. It is a day of sincere good wishes to our fellow friends, be they far or near, and one of its most religious tendencies is the inspiration it engenders in all to recall, hook up and remember past friends and associations; a day therefore of reflection, meditation and joy; a day and time enjoyed by all, both old and young, but one which is peculiarly and eagerly looked forward to by the children. We older ones may not be outwardly expressive of our feelings on this occasion and some of us may even be seemingly cold in its celebration; but let us not forget the time, when we too, as children, looked forward to this day for months in advance, in great anticipation of what the time would bring forth, and with little hearts set on the appearance of the good and traditional Santa Claus with his load of presents for disposition among the worthy children. The custom is too old to be disregarded and too good to be forgotten. We can all enter heartily into the spirit of the day if we are but a bit inclined and once again for a short time be boys and girls and young once more. Trim up a Christmas-tree, hang up your stocking and assume a spirit of expectancy in the fulfillment of all old traditional events. It will please the children and make the day for them a memorable one and incidentally it will do you a world of good. The cobwebs on your brains will be temporary erased, and who knows but what the temporary frivolities of the day may have a tendency to lighten your spirit in a permanent way. It will make you a better man and allow you to see the coming worldly affairs in a new and kinder light which will make for better successes. Be a "kid" again on this day—for the children's sake, and for your own.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Imagine Dr. Michael Clark a senator. But such is the nature of a rumor going the rounds. It is said he will be successor to the late Peter Talbot.

The anarchists recently arrested in the States and deported to Russia, the land of their birth appear to be of the opinion that it is a good government to talk about in America, but a mighty poor one to be obliged to return to.

The board of commerce will investigate the effect of the tariff on the high cost of living. Many of us suspect that manufacturers protected by the tariff unduly raise the price of their goods because of that protection.

The only remedy for the depreciation of our dollar in the United States is for Canadians to purchase less United States manufactured goods.

A census will begin on June 2 in the United States. The population is said to be near 100,000,000 people.

Removal of the wheat embargo by the United States will benefit Canadian farmers to the extent of perhaps \$20,000,000. On the other hand it will force the bakers to increase the price of bread one or two cents per loaf. Someone is always taking the joy out of life.

With the death of the John Perrie, deputy minister of municipalities for Alberta, it may truthfully be said that one of the most respected citizens of Alberta, loyal, faithful and highly efficient public servants passed away. He was held in high respect and his death is a loss to the province. Peace to his ashes.

Dr. Tolmie, the minister of agriculture, will be in Calgary some time in January, and stockmen of this district will have an opportunity of discussing with him the mange question in its entirety. There is no doubt the discussion will be to the point, for the stockmen appear to be unanimous that the mange question has not been properly handled.

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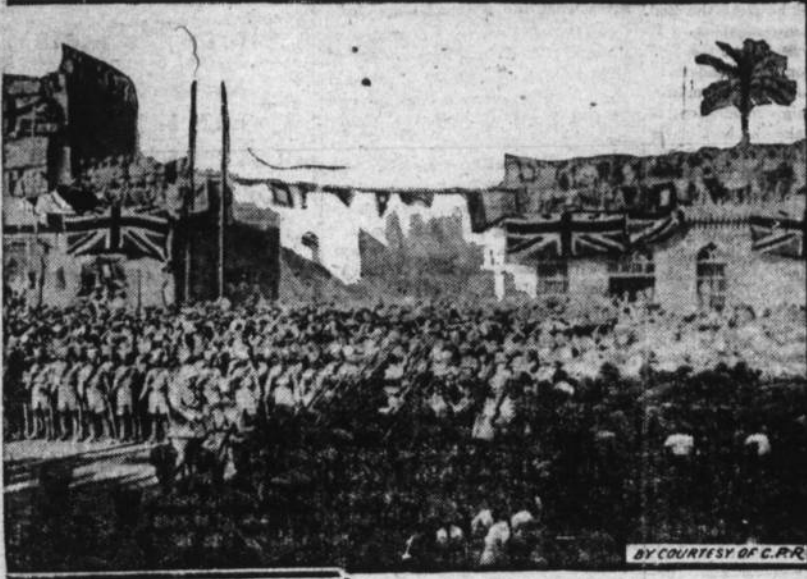
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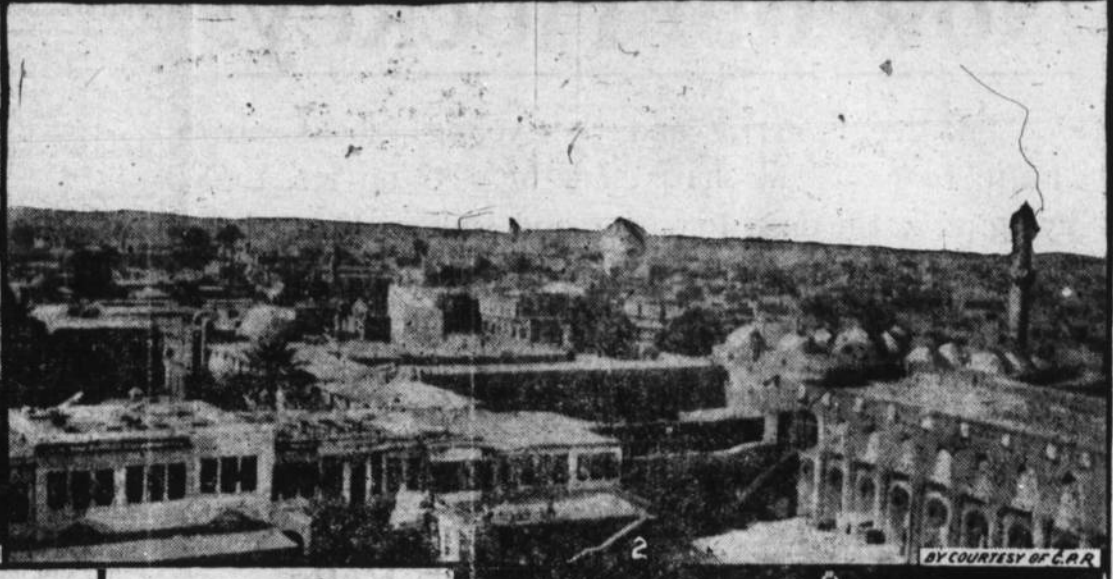
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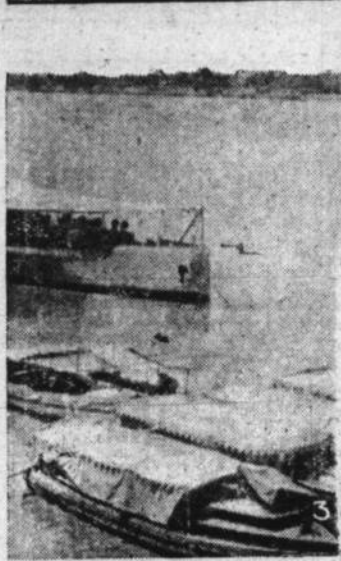
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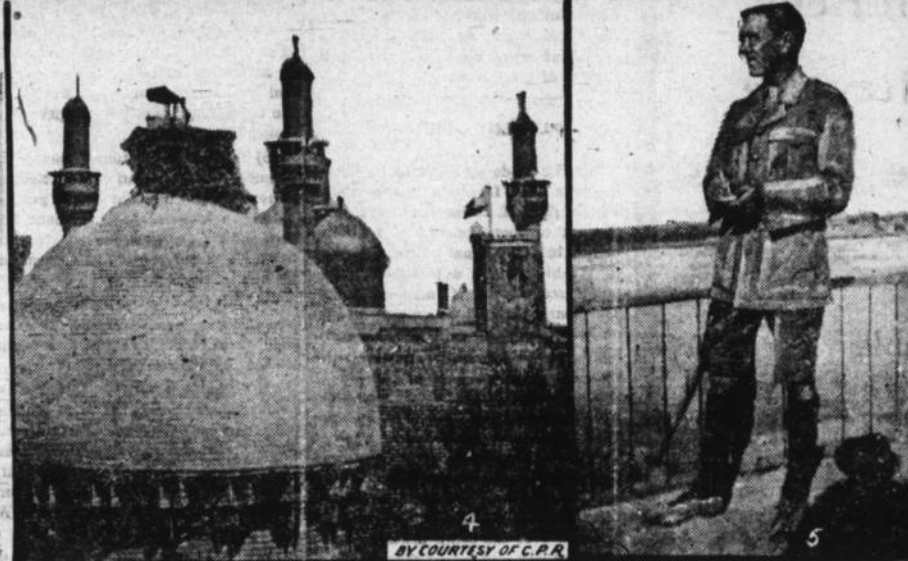
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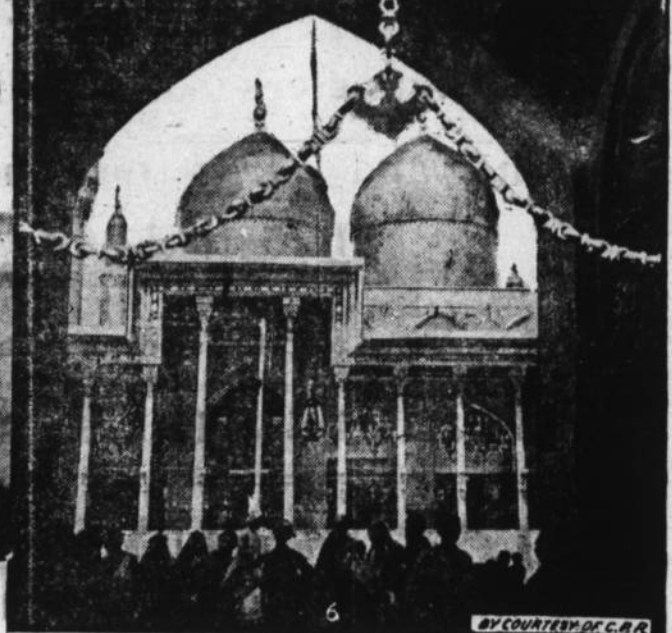
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- (2) A Birdseye View of Baghdad.
- (3) A Naval Monitor, Red Cross Launches, and an Arab Gouffa on the Tigris, at Baghdad.
- (4) Herons' Nests in the Domes of a Mosque.
- (5) Mr. Con. Hammett, who was in Mesopotamia during the war.
- (6) Entrance to Mosque of Golden Domes Khazmain.
- (7) The Prince of Wales at White Sulphur Springs.
- (8) Sisters' Quarters above Baghdad.
- (9) The Prince of Wales in New York.—Just arriving from Battleship Renown to Inspect British Guard of Honor of Great War Veterans.
- (10) A Mosque in Baghdad.

THE BRITISH AT BAGHDAD.

THE PRINCE IN THE UNITED STATES.

The Prince of Wales captured the hearts of the people of the United States just as he did the hearts of the Canadians. Enthusiastic receptions greeted him everywhere he went. In Washington he made a profound impression amongst American statesmen, and in that capital as well as in all the other cities visited the Prince was idolized by the people, who were glad to learn that an English Prince can be as democratic as the humblest of his countrymen. The Prince was made a freeman of New York-city. When leaving there he promised to see the United States soon again. The visit just completed will no doubt add to the friendly relations that exist between the British Empire and the great American Republic.

With the eyes of the world concentrated on that all important area known as "The Western Front", the arena of the greatest crusade in the world's history, the progress of Great Britain's lesser campaigns have passed almost unnoticed. Yet the successful occupation of Mesopotamia was the termination of all Germany's hopes in the East; and in no other area of the war has British prestige suffered greater vicissitudes. With the surrender of that ill-fated band of heroes under General Townshend our prestige in our vast Eastern possessions was at its lowest, and in no instance has it been more brilliantly upheld than in the subsequent route of the Turks and the British occupation of all that vast territory. No other campaign has exemplified with greater clarity the pertinacity of British troops in the face of almost unsurmountable difficulties; no other campaign in proportion has placed a bigger toll on the lives, health and reason of the Empire's defenders.

It is not my purpose in this short article to describe the military operations in detail, these are already, or will in time be adequately recorded in literature. I can, however, try to visualize to all who live under the protection of the British flag the untiring and heroic efforts which have been made to reduce these vast deserts peopled by nomadic and often recalcitrant tribes to some semblance of law and order. The rise and fall of civilization in this country has been affected more than any other by the energy or the laissez faire of its various conquerors, of which the British occupation is the addition of but one more to a list which comprises all the preceding Empires which are recorded in history. Like page from the history of the great Alexander's triumphant wars in the East, the British occupation has been marked by the same remorseless fights against the enemy, the continual depredations of nomads in its long line of march, the unceasing toll on the lives of brave men by excessive heat and lack of water and transport, and the waste of every scourge and disease at the flesh of man is heir to, following in the wake of our disuse stricken enervated but victorious troops, have gone the first pioneers of British rule intrepid missionaries of British law and order. At the call of duty, these men—than whom none are braver—have carried the initial propaganda of the Empire's political policy into the vastnesses of the desert; here winning the allegiance of one warring tribe, there being foully murdered and his body subjected to all the indecencies which religious fanaticism can prescribe. It is in these byways of the world that the Empire puts its greatest test on the loyalty of its subjects.

A contrast of the conditions in Baghdad under Turkish and British rule is in itself a conclusive testimony to the beneficial results which have accrued to the population of this town under our regime. Needless to say the Baghdad of today is very different to the same city in the time of the Great Caliph. It has that worn and dissipated look which is sometimes seen in a man who after a prosperous youth and prime middle-age drags out his remaining years in poverty and make-believe. Any romance which may have existed among its dilapidations, the rigors of martial law have successfully exterminated. The Bazaars, at one time the richest in the East, consist now of long gloomy alleys of mere holes in the walls, punctuated by gaps of brilliant light where the roofs have fallen in; these spaces only serving to accentuate the tawdriness of the wares and the filth of the merchants. Handicrafts are confined to the crudest only of workmanship, a sufficient indication of the centuries of poverty which by a miracle the place has been able to survive.

At the taking of the city the street bazaars, houses and people were in an appalling condition too loathsome to describe. It is remarkable that any one who entered a Turkish hospital ever left it alive, for on our arrival the patients were slowly being devoured by parasites in the most obnoxious atmosphere and filth it is possible to imagine. Conditions in this last respect are so entirely different now that I can truthfully say that with a few reservations the hospitals of this town can compare very favorably with our home institutions. The streets and bazaars are now clean, wholesome, and moderately passable. There are special sanitary police, who attend to and prevent the necessity for scavenging, a condition very different to affairs under the regime of the Turks, when the streets were the receptacle for all rubbish and the scavenging left to dogs and crows. Since our arrival the main streets, principal houses, hospitals and public buildings are lit through out by electricity and furnished with electric fans for the first time in their long and varied history.

This area of Mesopotamia which long since destroyed, enjoyed great prosperity and ranked as the greatest grain producing country of the then known world is with the completion by British engineers of the dam across the Euphrates on a fair way to a return of some of its old grandeur. Efficiently governed its population conserved by modern hygiene, its communications opened up by railway construction, it may quite easily become once again the half-way house between the markets of the Far East and the West.

G. HAMMETT.



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SHOULD BE NO CONFLICT

At the Red Cross convention held in Calgary last week to discuss the future policy of the Red Cross society, George Hoadley, M.L.A., said there should be no conflict between the Red Cross and other organizations. It seemed to him, he said, that the Red Cross ought to become the leaders in a great national movement in connection with their foreign population. It is for Canada to make the best of its population, he said, and he must realize the fact that to do this they must individually give of their best. "It is impossible for us to escape our obligation in this respect," he said, "and it is up to us to see that the foreign element in the country should become a national asset. These people are here and they can either become a bad or a good force. The Red Cross, above all other organizations," he remarked, "is in a position to make a success of this task and remedying the situation."

American newspapers and magazines will increase in price this week.

It's cold at Portland, Oregon. The Willamette river is frozen and the cold is intense.

Householders are cautioned to look carefully after their stoves and furnaces during cold weather. Dirty flues and chimneys have a habit of asphyxiating families at times, so be careful of your fires.

FABULOUS PROFITS

"Profits made by shipowners during the war were fabulous," and "unbelievable," J. H. Rossetter, the former director of operations of the shipping board, told the senate commissioners at Washington, in a testimony made public recently by Chairman Jones. The board realized enormous profits on some ships, he said, but the earning of privately owned vessels were even greater.

One ship owned by a company with which he had been connected, he said, operating under the board as a cargo carrier between San Francisco and Calcutta earned in one voyage of 110 days, more than \$800,000. This netted the board, he said, approximately \$750,000 over the compensation allowed to owners and other expenses.

The Quisticonk, the first ship built at Hog Island, on a voyage of 92 days, under arrangements with the Italian government, earned \$597,622, Mr. Rossetter said. Net profits were \$461,151, after taking care of \$37,800 in depreciation and \$18,900 interest.

U. F. A. POLICIES

Have you ever read the political platform of the U.F.A.? We reproduce it below, feeling confident all will be interested in seeing for themselves what the Farmers stand for.

(1) Handing over by Dominion of all natural resources to province of Alberta.

(2) Putting into operation of Farms Loans Act and Co-operative Credit Act.

(3) Amendment of Bank Act in respect to farm mortgages.

(4) Rural Education—Some scheme to help promising pupils and equalize the opportunities for higher education with those who live in the towns. Properly qualified teachers.

(5) Simplifying of court procedure.

(6) Full and proper accounting of public expenditure and an itemized accounting to be made to each provincial electoral district of all government moneys spent or allotted to be spent in such electoral district. Same to be published.

(7) Roads—A uniform system throughout province under government supervision. We advocate borrowing money on bond system as money from taxes is not enough. Proper maintenance of roads built.

We also advocate that the Dominion offer towards building roads to be taken advantage of to the fullest extent, and we advocate the distribution of the automobile tax towards providing money for roads.

(8) Telephone System—Greater efficiency, economy and more attention to repairs and upkeep; also general extension in rural parts without favoritism. Contracts for construction to be let to only bona fide contractors by public tender.

(9) Liquor Act—Strict enforcement and bringing same under criminal code, the penalty to be imprisonment without the option of a fine.

(10) Public Health—Government medical inspection of all rural schools, with earnest endeavor to stamp out throat, eye and ear troubles, tuberculosis, etc. Provision for maternity cases in rural parts and full support to the recommendation of the U.F.W.A.

(11) To legislate along the lines of Sec. 3 of the U.F.A. constitution as far as the province has the power, to the end that rural conditions may be so improved generally that the tendency of the rising generation to leave the country for the towns may be checked, and always remembering that equity is our motto—to be practiced towards all, whether farmers or not—that there may be liberty, equality and fraternity to all who live in this great province of Alberta.

TOO MANY ORGANIZATIONS

Mrs. Paribby, at the meeting of the red cross society at Calgary to determine as to the future of that organization, said that we really had too many organizations in existence and if we had fewer, much more work would be accomplished. This speaker stated that it was a general failing with some women that if they were not the leaders that they would branch out and form some new society of organization. "When we organize we should do so for some definite purpose," she said, "and I see no reason why every organization cannot help the Red Cross in its new field of work."

BANK COMBINATIONS

The mania for bank combinations continues in the United Kingdom. The latest is the merger of \$2,000,000,000 in deposits, the London Joint City and Midland Bank with \$1,800,000,000 and the Clydesdale Bank of Scotland with \$200,000,000. The Clydesdale Bank has about 160 branches throughout Scotland. It is not unlikely that other Scottish banks will form similar alliances, for despite sharp criticism directed against the bank combinations movement, it is claimed to be inevitable and necessary for the new industrial plan.

A FEW SMILES

A Neat Worker.—"Father, please let me marry Jim. He's so neat—why, when he was in France he got two medals for cleaning out dugouts and mopping up."—The American Legion Weekly.

The Higher Compensation.—There is a shortage of 38,000 school teachers in the United States. That, of course, is the inevitable result of so many good teachers resigning to become janitors.—Border Cities Star.

Foiled.—"Is your wife's mother enjoying her trip to the mountains?" "I'm afraid not, she's found something at last that she can't walk over."—Boston Transcript.

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TOPICS IN BRIEF

Some prose writers go from bad to worse.—Columbia Record.

The soft coal miners seem determined to make it hard for the consumer.—Nashville Tennessean.

The only thing agitators haven't asked for is the shortening of the speaking day.—Exchange.

Those Brooklyn barbers who struck for shorter hours evidently believe in daylight shaving.—The Liberator.

Well, anyhow, one doesn't have to dodge to escape being hit by falling prices.—Webster City (Ia.) Freeman Journal.

The paths of peace are paved with cobble stones.—Columbia Record.

The gravest part of the yellow peril is that the Jap can get rich on what the average American wastes... Asheville (N.C.) Times.

Respectfully submitted to strike committees everywhere: If you starve a cow you can't expect to milk her.—Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

U. S. Government will lose almost \$300,000,000 on the railroads this year. Would Plumb divide this among the workers?—Fountain Inn (S.C.) Tribune.

The best way to capture a moonshiner is to go on a still hunt.—Columbia Record.

You can't tell from looking at a flat how far the rent will jump.—Detroit Free Press.

The fact that lightning never does strike twice in the same place is manifestly due to inefficient strike leadership.—Columbia Record.

There is one serious objection to incarcerating the profiteers. They would probably own the jails within twenty-four hours.—Seymour (Wis.) Press.

Edifying at the army bargain sales to watch the war slacker fight for the clothes he was afraid to wear.—Wall Street Journal.

Secretary Tumulty and Mr. Gomer's secretary, Guy Oyster, ought to be able to work out some sort of compromise for all this noise.—Columbia Record.

The present industrial situation reminds us of the man who kicked himself to get even with himself for stepping on his foot.—Fountain Inn (S.C.) Tribune.

Presiding at the Licensed Victuallers' Association in London recently, the Prince of Wales referred to his tour in Canada and raised a laugh by saying that "he was happy to find himself back in London where a man didn't even have to pretend to be dry."

A celebrated American dentist writing in the Literary Digest of November 22, utters a strong protest against what he terms "the reckless extraction of teeth," which is responsible for many failures and disappointments. He explains that it is being carried too far by the dentists of the States who seem to think that pulling teeth is a panacea good for almost anything on general principles.

This year the premier of Canada will receive his annual salary of \$12,000 and his indemnity of \$2,500 for each session, making in all \$17,000. On the other hand, Mr. D. D. McKenzie, leader of the Opposition, has drawn the sum of \$19,000, of which \$14,000 represents his official salary and for two sessional indemnities. Thus, you see, it pays better to be in the cold shades of opposition than to be the leader of the party in power.

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(Signed) A. J. FLOOD,
Secy.-Treas. Municipal District of Royal, No. 158.

Great Britain has appropriated \$330,000,000 for the development of aviation, while Congress at Washington recently refused to sanction an emergency appropriation of \$15,000,000 for the same purpose.

"You don't talk too much if you want things done. Electioneering is one thing and legislating is another." Such is the opinion of Lady Astor, M.P., and in this contention she is absolutely correct. In parliament one should only speak when they have something important to say. Unfortunately we have too many orators representing us in our parliaments. What we want today is deeds, not words.

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The premier of Alberta gave a very fine address before the G.W.V.A. convention at Edmonton last week. What

he said had the ring of sincerity and no doubt made an impression.

Senator Robertson says a coal miners' strike is due for January 1, in Alberta. The O.B.U. is again becoming active.

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For November

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Grade I (b).—Leta Roe, Willie Cunningham, Ailsa Charters, Kate Dewie, Eugene Hanson, Bertha Adams, Jaunita Skatrud, Bruce Vanskiver, Elmer Shaw, Jean Rolston, Sylvia Seaman. Grade I (c).—Mabel Deal, Irva Lebeau, Evelyn Bond, Irene Loisselle, Clinton Markham, Harold King, Wharyl Bice, Alice Berringer, Margaret Davis, Neva Bice, Mary Brown.

Grade II.—Rosie Korczynski, 77.1; Margot Trail, 76.3; Florabelle Munday, 76.1; Herbert Linley, 72.6; Charlotte Recor, 66.3; Marie Skatrud, 66.3; Elvessa Brown, 53.8; Ben Brown, 52.5; Chester Dewie, 50.8.

Absent from some examinations: Donald Ebsworth, Isabel Flood and Loreen McKay.

Grade III.—Violeta Grant, 78.1; Ethel Munday, 76.8; Norma Vanskiver, 76.3; Emil Mutz, 75.1; Buford Walker, 73.5; James Walker, 70.8; Dorothy Kothlow, 70.5; Annette Loisselle, 68.5; George Rannels, 68.1; Russell Collier, 67.6; Georgia McKie, 67.3; Roy Deal, 64.1; Edward Wilson, 63.6; Doyle Dunbar, 62.6; Harold Thomaner, 61.8; Lowell Granlein, 56.1; Alice Eamor, 53.5.

Absent from some examinations: Dorothy Martin, Ernest Granlein and Robert Spooner.

Grade IV.—Mamye Lebeau, 77.5; Charles Kaiser, 76.4; Veronica Reed, 75.5; Muriel Brown, 75.2; Olive Linley, 74.4; Fred Vanskiver, 64.5; Eleanor Jennejohn, 64; Teddy Irving, 60.7; Maud Wilson, 54.4; Lloyd Brown, 48.7; Glen Robbie, Russell Robbie, Freeda Dunbar, Hazel Eamor and Richard Munday were absent from examinations.

Grade V.—Marion Lebeau, 82.8; Albert Flood, 73.4; Norman Jennejohn, 71.5; Nancy Clappison, 70.1; Stella Dewie, 69; Wilfred Daines, 66.1; Charles Kothlow, 64.5; May Irving, 62.4; George Seaman, 61; Harry Rolston, 58.8; Ruth Ferngren, 55.8; Verma Kothlow, 53.4; Mable Hudson, 53.4; Phyllis Trail, 50.5; Florence Recor, 47.5; Grace McKie, 46.8; George McPherson, 45.5; Olive Dunbar, absent from examinations.

Grade VI.—Jennie Cook, 81.8; Minnie Korczynski, 80.6; Florence Loisselle, 79; Edith Rolston, 78.3; Reginald Walker, 77.7; Henry Clappison, 71; Earl Deal, 65.2; William Kaiser, 64.2; Ena Watt, 61.2; Ida Eamor, 53.5; Beulah Hampton, 51; Vida McDonald, absent from examinations.

Grade VII.—Joe Korczynski, 76; Ruth Rolston, 73.2; Addie Flood, 72.3; Rilla Watt, 70.3; George Ebsworth, 67.6; Mary Eerry, 67; Dorothy Atzizer, 64.5; Queenie Daines, 64.3; Jack Trail, 63.8; Hubert Wells, 61.8; Agnes Rannels, 61.5; Grace McDonald, 58.2; Elmer Brown, 40.3; Wayne Brown, 39.

Grade VIII.—Laura Terry, 78.3; Elizabeth Flood, 71.1; Mildred McPherson, 66.6; Eunice Walker, 65.8; Esther Ferngren, 65.1; Vera Vanskiver, 60.2; Merle McKay, 48.1.

Grade IX.—Mildred Peterson, 79; Joseph Rushfeldt, 78; Harold Buck, 77; John Miller, 75.27; Beatrice Baker, 74.18; Mae Davis, 73.27; Edith McKay, 73.09; Nellie Middleton, 67.9; Bernard McDonald, 65.36; Evelyn Larson, 59.4; Lily Korczynski, absent from examinations.

Grade X.—Alice Walker, 89.9; Thelma Ferngren, 85.8; Adelaide Cook, 80.1; Roy Davis, 75.5.

Grade XI.—Sadie Sloane, 82.3.

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